THE
SONG OF THE DEFENDERS

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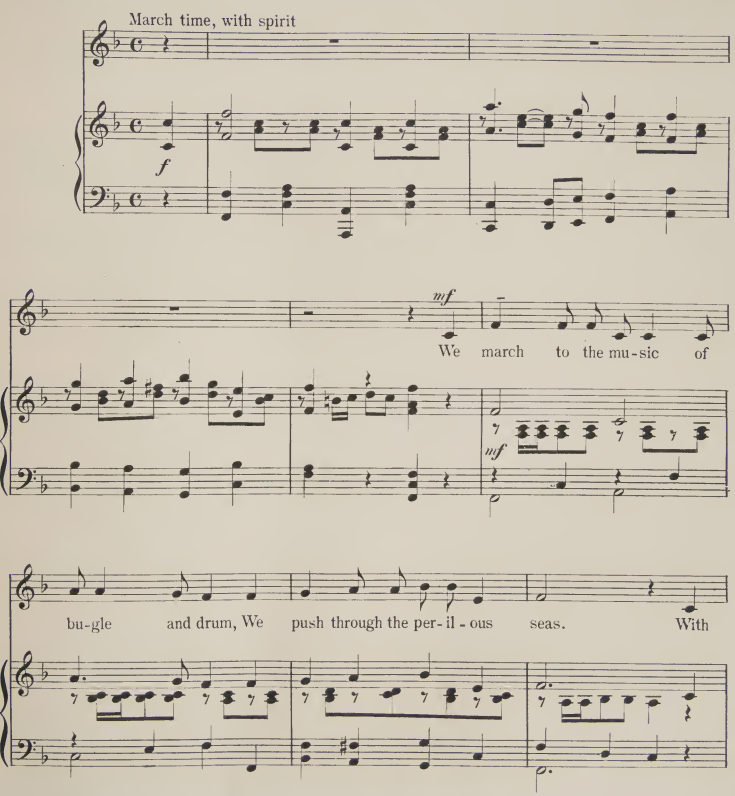

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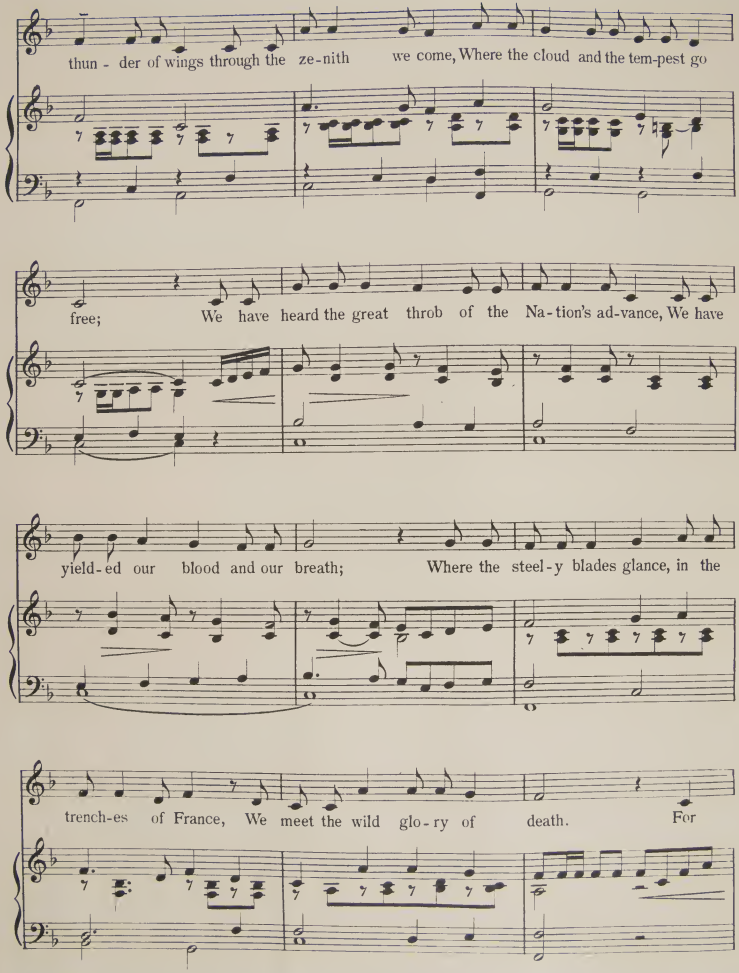
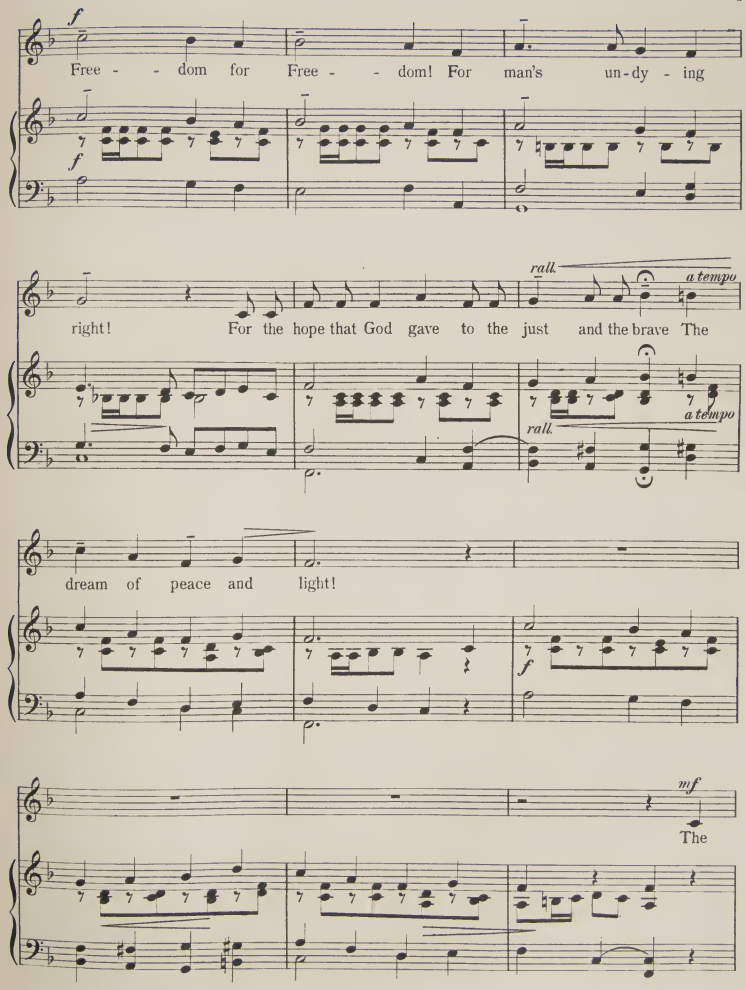

thun - der of wings through the ze-nith we come, Where the cloud and the tem-pest go
free; We have heard the great throb of the Na-tion's ad-vance, We have
yield-ed our blood and our breath; Where the steel-y blades glance, in the
trench-es of France, We meet the wild glo-ry of death. For


f
Free - - dom for Free - - dom! For man's un-dy - ing
f
rall.
a tempo
right! For the hope that God gave to the just and the brave The
a tempo
rall.
dream of peace and light!
f
mf
The

rav-a - gers blaze through their path-way of shame, With ru-in and woe in their
mf
track; The hearts in our bod-ies are ram-parts of flame; Our
thun-ders shall har-ry them back. For we know the straight road of the
free and the strong, We press to a goal that is far; Though the

strife may be long, we shall fol - low with song The gleam of the ul - ti - mate
f
star. For Free - - dom for Free - - dom! For
f
man's un-dy - ing right! There is on - ly one way to the
rall.
Broad
great com - ing day The reign of peace and light.
rall.
Broad

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